

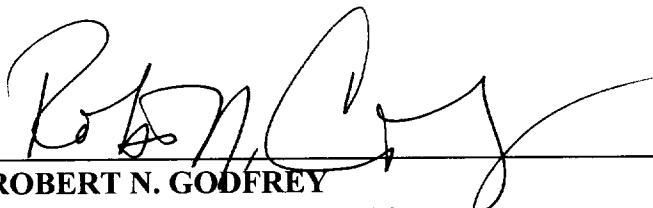
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CL01L0442 - DIANNE C. MITCHELL

CLAIM OF: **ROBERT THOMAS,**
through his attorney,
William T. Mitchell
Suite 605
600 West Peachtree Street, NW
Atlanta, Georgia 30308

02- *R* -0927

For damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of personal injuries during an arrest on June 30, 2001 at West Peachtree Street and 10th Street.

THIS ADVERSED REPORT IS APPROVED

BY: 
ROBERT N. GODFREY
DEPUTY CITY ATTORNEY

CONSENT AGENDA

ADVERSED BY CITY COUNCIL JUN 03

ADVERSE REPORT

COMM: Public Safety

DATE: 5/28/02

CHAIR: Natasha Anderson

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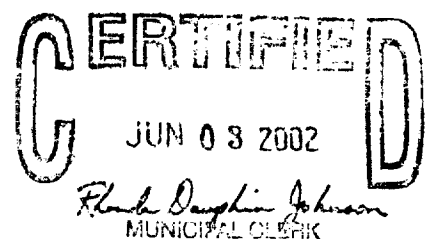
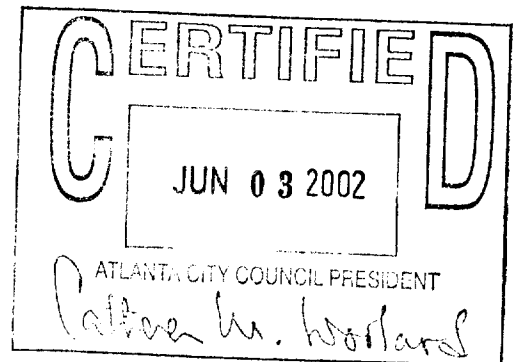
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June 7, 2002

William T. Mitchell
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600 West Peachtree St., NW
Suite 605
Atlanta, Georgia 30308

02-R-0927

RE: Robert Thomas

Dear Attorney Mitchell:

I sincerely regret that your client has been adversely affected by the circumstances raised in his/her claim for damages against the City of Atlanta. Your time and patience in this matter has been greatly appreciated.

However, I must notify you that the Atlanta City Council Adopted an Adverse Report on your client's claim at its regular meeting on June 3, 2002. In consultation with the City's Law Department, who conducted an investigation of the situation, the Council has determined that the City cannot accept responsibility for this matter and therefore cannot pay this claim.

If you desire any further information, please contact the City Attorney's Office/Claims Division at (404) 330-6400.

Yours very truly,

Rhonda Dauphin Johnson
Rhonda Dauphin Johnson, CMC
Municipal Clerk

cc: Claims Division/Law Department

DEPARTMENT OF LAW - CLAIM INVESTIGATION SUMMARY

Claim No. 01L0442

Date: May 14, 2002

Claimant /Victim ROBERT THOMAS
BY: (Atty) William T. Mitchell
Address: Suite 605, 600 West Peachtree Street, NW, Atlanta, Georgia 30308
Subrogation: Claim for Property damage \$ Bodily Injury \$ Not Stated
Date of Notice: 07/11/01 Method: Written, proper X Improper
Conforms to Notice: O.C.G.A. §36-33-5 X Ante Litem (6 Mo.) X
Date of Occurrence 06/30/01 Place: West Peachtree Street and 10th Street
Department Police Division:
Employee involved K. L. Walls and G. A. Hill Disciplinary Action: Exonerated

NATURE OF CLAIM: The claimant alleges that he was injured and his civil rights were violated when he was arrested by police after the vehicle in which the claimant was riding was involved in a police chase. An internal investigation conducted by the Office of Professional Standards exonerated the officers of any wrongdoing because there was insufficient evidence to prove or disprove the claimant's allegations. Furthermore, pursuant to O.C.G.A. §36-33-3, the City is immune from liability for the tort actions of its police officers engaged in the duties imposed on them by law.

INVESTIGATION:

Statements: City employee Claimant Others Written Oral
Pictures Diagrams Reports: Police X Dept Report X Other
Traffic citations issued: City Driver Claimant Driver
Citation disposition: City Driver Claimant Driver

BASIS OF RECOMMENDATION:

Function: Governmental X Ministerial
Improper Notice More than Six Months Other X Damages reasonable
City not involved Offer rejected Compromise settlement
Repair/replacement by Ins. Co. Repair/replacement by City Forces
Claimant Negligent City Negligent Joint Claim Abandoned

Respectfully submitted,


INVESTIGATOR - DIANNE C. MITCHELL

RECOMMENDATION:

Pay \$ Adverse X Account charged: 1A01 2J01 2H01 2P01
Claims Manager:  Concur/date 05/14/02
Committee Action: Council Action

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Atlanta City Council

Regular Session

CONSENT I

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ADOPT

YEAS: 14
NAYS: 0
ABSTENTIONS: 0
NOT VOTING: 1
EXCUSED: 0
ABSENT 1

SEE ATTACHED LISTING OF
ITEMS ADOPTED/ADVERSED
ON CONSENT AGENDA

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B Starnes	Y Fauver	Y Martin	Y Norwood
Y Young	Y Shook	Y Maddox	Y Willis
Y Winslow	Y Muller	Y Boazman	NV Woolard

ITEM (S) REMOVED FROM
CONSENT AGENDA
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CONSENT I

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